



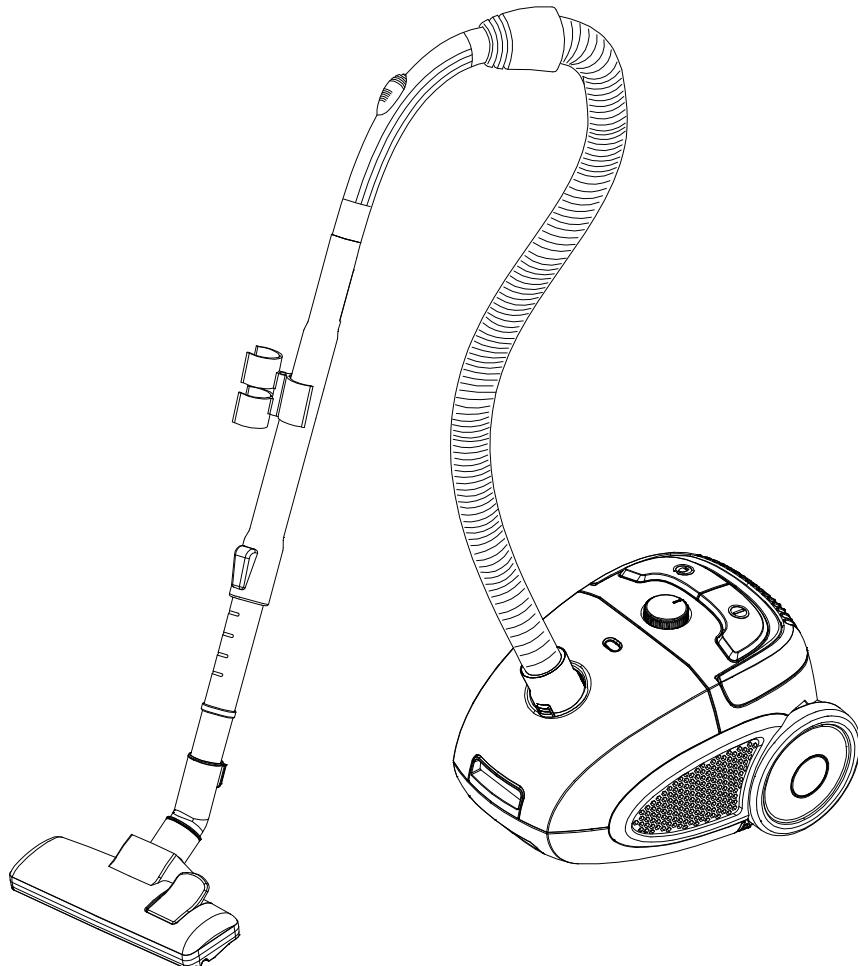
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## **Lil' Red Canister Vacuum User Guide**

**MODEL: AHSC-1**

**120V, 60Hz, 10A, 1200W**



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# IMPORTANT SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS

*When using an electrical appliance, basic precautions should always be followed, including the following:*

## **READ ALL INSTRUCTIONS BEFORE USING APPLIANCE**

## **WARNING:**

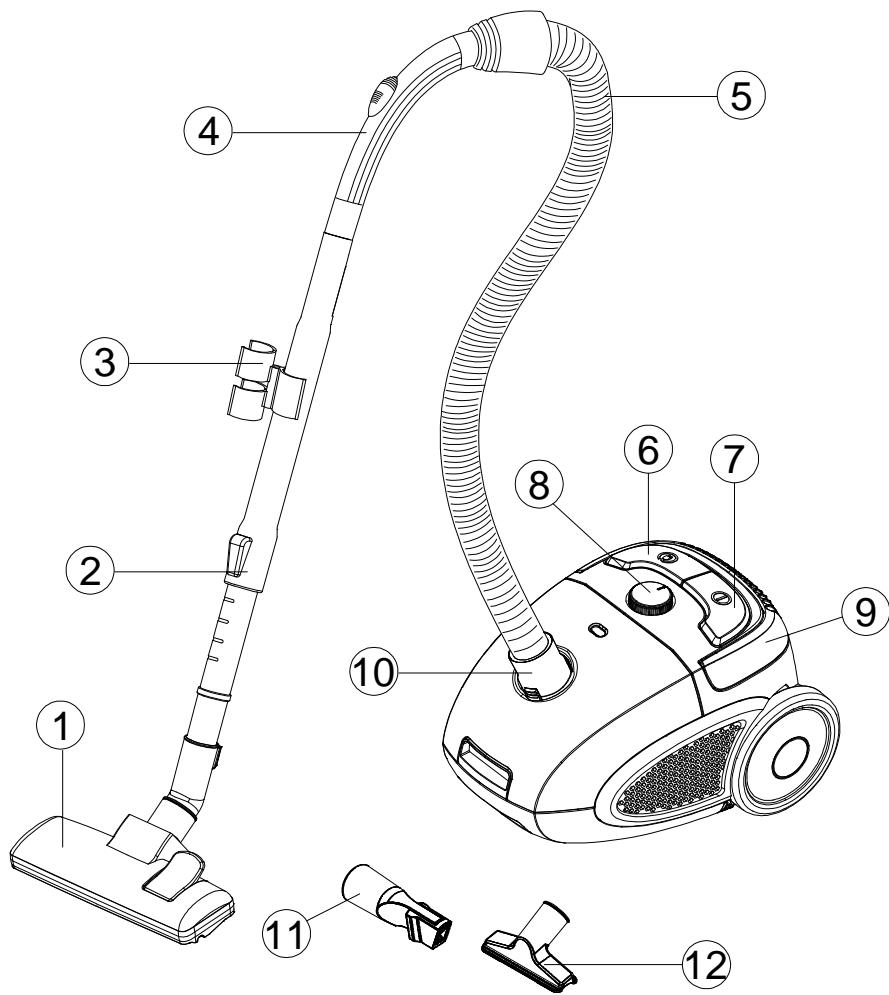
### **TO REDUCE THE RISK OF FIRE, ELECTRICAL SHOCK OR INJURY:**

1. Do not leave appliance when plugged in. Unplug from outlet when not in use and before servicing.
2. Electrical shock may occur if used outdoors or on wet surfaces.
3. Do not allow vacuum to be used as a toy. Pay close attention when vacuum is used by or near children.
4. Use only as described in this manual. Use only manufacturer's recommended instructions.
5. Do not use with damaged cord or plug. If appliance is not working as it should, has been dropped, damaged, left outdoors, or dropped into water, return it to Atrix International to be evaluated (refer to warranty policy).
6. Do not pull or carry by cord, use cord as a handle, close a door on cord, or pull cord around sharp edges of corners. Do not run appliance over cord. Keep cord away from heated surfaces.
7. Do not unplug by pulling on cord. To unplug, grasp plug, not the cord.
8. Do not handle plug or appliance with wet hands.
9. Do not put any object into openings. Do not use with any opening blocked; keep free of dust, lint, hair, and anything that may reduce airflow.
10. Keep hair, loose clothing, fingers and all body parts away from openings and moving parts.
11. Do not pick up anything that is burning or smoking such as cigarettes, matches or hot ashes.
12. Do not use without filter in place.
13. Turn off all controls before unplugging.
14. Use extra care when cleaning on stairs.
15. Do not use to pick up any liquids, including flammable or combustible liquids such as gasoline or use in areas where they may be present.
16. Connect to a properly grounded outlet only.
17. This appliance is not intended for use by persons (including children) with reduced physical, sensory or mental capabilities, or lack of experience and knowledge, unless they have been given supervision or instruction concerning use of the appliance by a person responsible for their safety.

*Children should be supervised to ensure that they do not play with the vacuum.*

**SAVE THESE INSTRUCTIONS!**

## COMPONENTS AND EQUIPMENT



1. Floor brush combo
2. Telescopic wand
3. Storage clip
4. Hose handle
5. Suction hose
6. Automatic cord rewind button
7. ON/OFF button
8. Suction control regulator
9. Carrying handle
10. Suction hose connection
11. Crevice tool/brush
12. Furniture nozzle

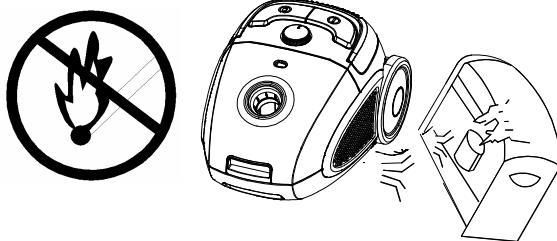
Not Pictured:

HEPA Filter bag  
Oval Dust Brush  
Hard Floor Tool

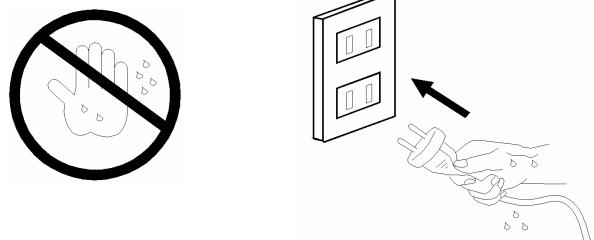
## PREVENTION

Switch off the vacuum cleaner immediately if the air intake, accessories or the telescopic wand becomes blocked. Before starting the vacuum cleaner up again remove the substance causing the blockage:

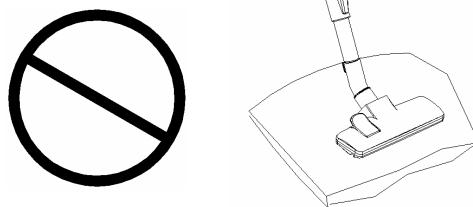
1. Never use the vacuum cleaner in the immediate vicinity of hot objects and do not suck up hot objects such as cigarette ends or ashes.



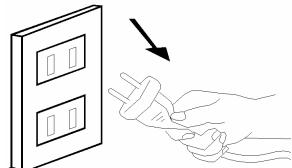
2. Only place the plug in the outlet when your hands are dry.



3. Please remove large or sharp objects from the floor before using the vacuum cleaner to avoid any possible damage to it.

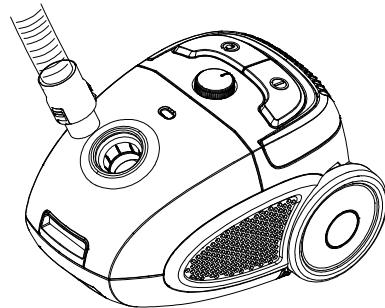


4. Do not pull by the cord when pulling out the plug.



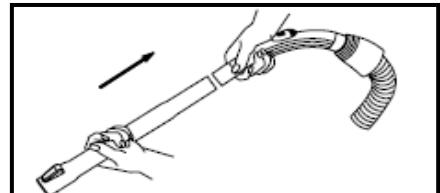
## PREPARING THE VACUUM CLEANER

1. Fit the hose on the vacuum cleaner by inserting the rotating hose connection into the vacuum cleaner until you hear a click. To remove the hose, press the button at the side of the hose connection and pull it out.

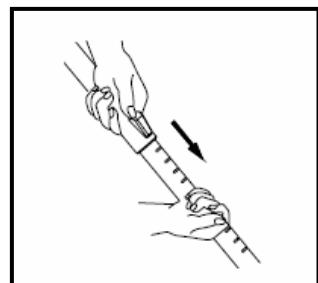


2. Assembling the telescopic wand and accessories

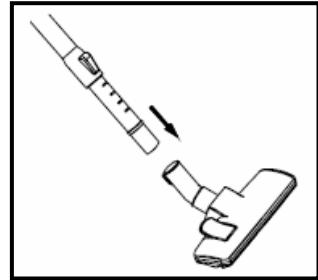
- 2.1: Fit the telescopic wand into the other end of the hose.



- 2.2: Adjust the length of the telescopic wand by pushing the locking mechanism down and pulling in the bottom section of the wand to a suitable length. When storing, shorten the wand as far as possible.

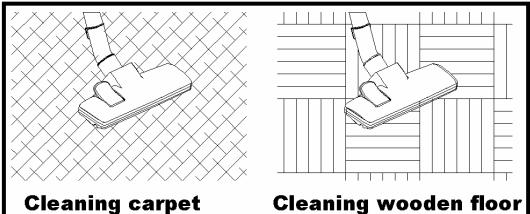


- 2.3: Fit the floor brush or other accessory on the telescopic wand.



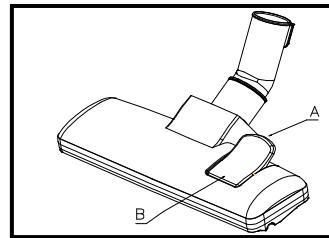
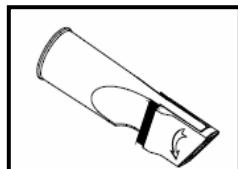
### Floor Brush Combo

The floor brush has two settings. When cleaning hard surfaces (wood flooring, flooring tiles, etc.), the floor brushes should be extended. When cleaning carpets and mats, the brushes should be retracted into the floor brush. Press the brush change button to switch between the two settings.



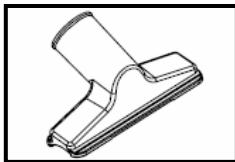
### Crevice Tool/Brush

For radiators, corners, skirting, etc.



### Furniture nozzle

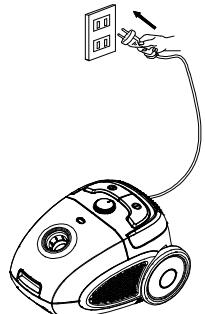
For furniture, curtains, drapes, etc.



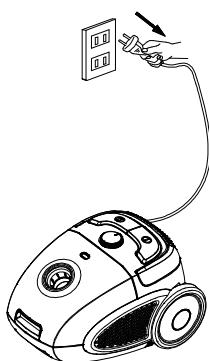
## Use Vacuum Cleaner

1: Before using the vacuum first pull out a sufficient length of electric power cord and plug into the outlet. The yellow mark on the power cord is the maximum length that must not be exceeded.

To switch on the device press the foot pedal button  on the casing with your foot.



2: To rewind the power cord, press the button  with one hand and guide the cord with the other hand to ensure that it does not whip causing damage.



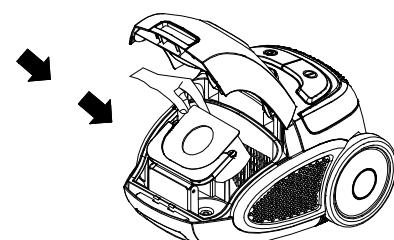
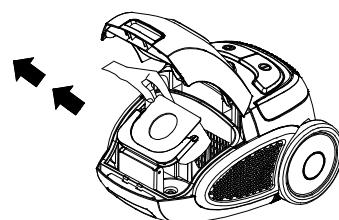
### Caution:

**Never operate the vacuum cleaner without the HEPA bag filter or motor filter, otherwise the device could be damaged.**

### Changing the HEPA filter bag

If the vacuum's suction is reduced, this may be because the HEPA filter bag needs changing. Raise the wand off the floor, set the suction force regulation to MAX, switch on vacuum cleaner using the on/off button, and keep an eye on the bag change indicator. If it is red, the HEPA filter bag must be changed.

1. Turn off and unplug cleaner.
2. Remove the hose, open bag cover by pushing latch up with fingers and lifting bag cover.
3. Grasp the millboard at the top of the HEPA filter bag and carefully remove the bag from the vacuum cleaner.
4. Throw the HEPA bag in the trash bin.
5. Insert a new HEPA bag in the vacuum cleaner.  
The vacuum cleaner must never be used without a HEPA bag.
6. Close the vacuum cleaner.



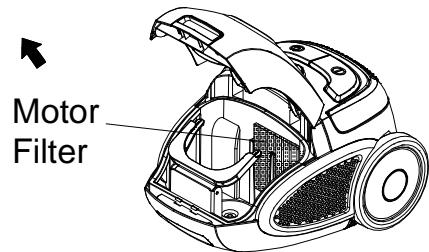
7. Always replace the HEPA bag after sweeping up large quantities of fine material such as fine sand, cement, flour, etc.

\*\*\* Atrix Part # for a 5 pack of replacement HEPA filter bags: AHLR-2\*\*\*

### **Cleaning the motor filter**

1. The motor filter can be found in the HEPA bag compartment. It protects the motor from dust and should be cleaned at least twice a year, when it is dirty, or if suction force is reduced.
2. Pull the filter holder up out of the vacuum cleaner.
3. Rinse the filter in warm water, and allow it to dry completely.
4. Return the filter to the holder, and replace the filter holder in the vacuum cleaner.

**IMPORTANT!** Never use the vacuum cleaner without a motor filter.



### **Transport and Storage**

1. You can lift and carry the vacuum cleaner using the carrying handle. Never pull or lift the vacuum cleaner by the cord.
2. Before putting the vacuum away, turn vacuum off, unplug, and press the cord rewind button until the cord is fully rewound.

### **Cleaning**

Unplug Vacuum.

Clean the vacuum cleaner by wiping it with a damp cloth.

You must never use any form of strong solvent or abrasive cleaning agent.

### **Environmental tips**

Once any electronic product is no longer functional, it should be disposed of in such a way as to cause minimum environmental impact, in accordance with the regulations of your local authority. In most cases you can take such products to your local recycling station.

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